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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2010, finally rejecting claims 1-3, 7-11, 15-19, 23-28, 32-57 and 59, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: